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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Attached please find Form PTO-1449 together with the references as stated in the European Search Report.

- U.S. 4,369,803 discloses a control of fuel gas blending.
- GB 1 390 643 discloses a process for the preparation of fuel gas with reduced calorific value.
- FR 2 296 811 discloses a procedure for producing a combustible gas mixture by vaporizing liquified hydrocarbons or liquids distilling at temperatures lower than 700°C. The process includes the adiabatic compression of a carrying gas with the pulverization of hydrocarbons in a liquid phase, in the compressed carrying gas. No translation of this reference is available to Applicant at this time.
- EP 0 780 632 discloses a gas power burner and method for preventing the formation

of condensation drops. The unit has a gas supply filament 1 and a gas pipe 4 leading into the burners blower housing 2. An impulse pipe 5 joins the blower housing to the gas supply filament and a further pressure impulse pipe 6 connects the combustion chamber containing the burner head. No full translation of this reference is available to Applicant at this time. However, an English language abstract is attached.

- U.S. 4,140,473 discloses an apparatus and method to control process to replace natural gas with fuel oil in a natural gas burner.

Consideration of the references is requested.

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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Ex- aminer Initial	Document No.	Date	Name	Class	Sub- class	Filing Date
	<u>4,369,803</u>	<u>Jan. 25, 1983</u>	<u>Furr</u>			<u>Jan. 28, 1981</u>
	<u>4,140,473</u>	<u>Feb. 20, 1979</u>	<u>Hoehing et al.</u>			<u>Jan. 13, 1977</u>

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

Ex- aminer Initial	Document No.	Date	Country	Class	Sub- class	Translation Yes/No
	<u>GB 1 390 643</u>	<u>April 16, 1975</u>	<u>United Kingdom</u>			<u>Yes</u>
	<u>FR 2 296 811</u>	<u>July 30, 1976</u>	<u>France</u>			<u>No</u>
	<u>EP 0 780 632</u>	<u>June 25, 1997</u>	<u>Europe</u>			<u>No</u>

OTHER REFERENCES (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

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